

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF  
MISSISSIPPI  
JACKSON DIVISION**

**JOHN ROBERT SMITH, SHIRLEY HALL  
AND GENE WALKER**

**PLAINTIFFS**

**VS.**

**Civil Action No. 3:01-cv-855-HTW-DCB**

**DELBERT HOSEMANN, Secretary of State of  
Mississippi; JIM HOOD, Attorney General for the State of  
Mississippi; HALEY BARBOUR,  
Governor of the State of Mississippi; MISSISSIPPI  
REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE; and  
MISSISSIPPI DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE  
COMMITTEE**

**DEFENDANTS**

**And**

**BEATRICE BRANCH, RIMS BARBER,  
L.C. DORSEY, DAVID RULE,  
JAMES WOODWARD, JOSEPH P. HUDSON,  
and ROBERT NORVEL  
INTERVENORS**

**CONSOLIDATED WITH**

**KELVIN BUCK, ET AL.**

**PLAINTIFFS**

**VS.**

**Civil Action No. 3:11-cv-717-HTW-LRA**

**HALEY BARBOUR, ET AL.**

**DEFENDANTS**

**ORDER**

This matter has come before the Court on the motion of Samuel L. Begley, Esq. to release him as counsel of record for the Defendant Mississippi Democratic Executive Committee. The Court has considered the motion and the premises therein and, finding it to be meritorious, hereby grants it.

Accordingly, it is hereby ordered that Samuel L. Begley, Esq. is released as counsel of record for the Defendant Mississippi Democratic Executive Committee.

It is further ordered that Mr. Begley shall notify Chairman Tyree Irving, and Executive Director Anitra Eubanks that this order has been entered.

ORDERED this the 4th day of April, 2022.

/s/HENRY T. WINGATE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE